



SRB Award Levels Changed

Navy is seeing the highest reenlistment rates in a decade and is projecting to meet most required reenlistment needs for Sailors with critical skills this fiscal year (FY). As a result, Selective Reenlistment Bonuses are being adjusted in NA VADMIN 075/09.

Award levels have been revised for all but 56 Navy enlisted classifications (NEC) in 10 skill groups listed in the NAVADMIN. All others are reduced to or remain at zero. The reductions to multiples and ceilings applied to non-nuclear ratings and NECs are effective May 1. This date was chosen to allow Sailors an opportunity to request a reservation before the lower limit takes effect. Nuclear rating and NEC award levels will be effective May 11.

Reserve component full time support (FTS) will continue to follow award levels in NAVADMIN 050/09. Commands must submit SRB requests via Officer Personnel Information System (OPINS) 35-120 days in advance of a Sailor's reenlistment date. Requests for precertification submitted less than 35 days prior to the requested reenlistment date without substantial justification will be rejected. Sailors must have approved precertification before reenlisting but may wait until their end of active obligated service (EAOS) to reenlist.

Sailors in non-nuclear skills whose SRB award levels are being reduced or eliminated and who have a Navy Personnel Command (NPC) approval message or a pending precertification with PERS 811 for a reenlistment date after April 30, must resubmit the request for a new reenlistment date of April 30 or earlier to be eligible for the higher award level and must have an EAOS not later than June 8. This EAOS restriction also applies to Sailors whose SRB award level has decreased or eliminated, but who did not already possess an approval message or precertification from PERS 811.

To read the NAVADMIN 075/09, visit at www.npc.navy.mil.

